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IN THE CLAIMS:

Claims 1-32 (cancelled)

- 33. (previously presented) A method of preparing a composition for the treatment of dermatological disorders, comprising the steps of: filtering coal tar to remove impurities by filter compression and preparing a composition wherein the composition includes the filtered coal tar.
- 34. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 33, further comprising the step of adding zinc pyrithione into the composition.
- 35. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 33, wherein the coal tar is filtered by being fed through a compressed charcoal filter.
- 36. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 35, wherein the coal tar is fed through the filter at approximately 17 to 19 psi.
- 37. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 35, wherein the coal tar is fed through the filter at approximately 18 psi.
- 38. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 35, further comprising the step of using compressed air to force the coal tar through the compressed charcoal filter.
- 39. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 35, further comprising the step of leaving the coal tar in the compressed charcoal filter for 8 hours.

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40. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 35, further comprising the step of boiling a fluid that has been passed through the compressed charcoal filter.

- 41. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 40, wherein the fluid that has been passed through the compressed charcoal filter is boiled for 5 minutes.
- 42. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 40, wherein the boiled, filtered fluid is allowed to cool to room temperature.
- 43. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 40, further comprising the step of refiltering a top layer of the boiled, filtered fluid.
- 44. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 43, wherein refiltering is through a nylon mesh.
- 45. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 33, where a surfactant is added to the formulation.
- 46. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 45, wherein the surfactant is an ionic surfactant.
- 47. (previously presented) A method as in Claims 45, wherein the surfactant is sodium lauryl sulphate.

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48. (previously presented) A method as in any Claim 33, wherein a carrier is added to the formulation.

- 49. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 48, wherein the carrier is isopropyl myristate.
- 50. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 48, wherein the carrier is ethyl alcohol.
- 51. (previously presented) A method as in Claim 33, further comprising the step of placing the composition in a container selected from the group consisting of a spray container and an aerosol container.

52-65. (Cancelled)

Please add the following new claim:

66. (new) A method as in Claim 35, wherein a plurality of carriers are added to the formulation.